## National Center for Environmental Assessment Weekly Report for October 11<sup>th</sup> ,2017

## **30 Day Outlook for Presentations and External Meetings**

Start Date	End Date	Scientist	Event	Location	Topic
10- Oct	11- Oct	Jason Lambert	"Accelerating the Pace of Chemical Risk Assessment (APCRA)" meeting	Helsinki, Finland	Jason Lambert will be participating in the 2nd annual "Accelerating the Pace of Chemical Risk Assessment (APCRA)" meeting in Helsinki, Finland October 10-11. This focus of this APCRA meeting is characterizing and further developing a number of projects aimed at the application of new approach methods into safety/risk assessment. Results and preliminary findings from on-going collaborative projects between experts from Europe and the U.S. will be presented.
	11- Oct	Marissa Liang	Air & Waste Management Association (A&WMA) 2017 Conference	Arlington, VA	On October 10-11, Marissa Liang (ORISE) will be presenting at the A&WMA 2017 Conference "Finding Common Ground on Climate Change Mitigation and Adaption" at Arlington, Virginia. Her presentation is entitled "Assessment of Coastal Community Waste Management Vulnerabilities to Sea Level Rise and Storm Surge – Use of Decision Support Tools", which describes work under project CIVA-3.1 working with Susan Julius, NRMRL colleagues, and EPA contractors. This presentation is co-authored by Susan Julius, NRMRL colleagues (Ozge Kaplan and Susan Thorneloe), and Keith Weitz from RTI.
10- Oct	11- Oct	Kris Thayer, Bruce Rodan, and Iris Camacho	ACC- Sponsored Workshop.	Chapel Hill, NC	ACC- Sponsored Workshop. On October 10- 11th, Kris Thayer, Bruce Rodan, and Iris Camacho are attending an ACC-sponsored workshop in Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

10- Oct	12- Oct	Beth Owens	CSS retreat	Research Triangle Park, NC	Beth Owens will be participating in a CSS retreat where the CSS NPD team and MIs will review the current CSS portfolio, evaluate CSS procedures/processes, evaluate and discuss external communications, and continue to explore and identify opportunities for integration across projects. This retreat will be from October 10-12 in RTP, NC.
10- Oct	17- Oct	Keith	WHO/IARC Monograph meeting	Lyons, France	Keith Salazar will participate in the WHO/IARC Monograph meeting in Lyons, France, where he will contribute to the IARC monographs for identifying the carcinogenicity hazards associated with exposures to benzene. Keith is a working group member of the "mechanisms" subgroup and will focus on sections pertaining to evidence in experimental systems of chronic inflammation and immunosuppression.
	13- Oct	Meredith Lassiter and Emmi Felker- Quinn	Defense Coastal/Estuar ine Research Program Symposium "Ten Years of Ecosystem- Focused Research"	Raleigh, NC	Meredith Lassiter and Emmi Felker-Quinn (ORD/NCEA-RTP) will be attending the Defense Coastal/Estuarine Research Program Symposium "Ten Years of Ecosystem-Focused Research" October 12-13, 2017 in Raleigh, NC. This work falls under HHRA Topic 2, Task 3.3 (2.213).
13- Oct	13- Oct	Chris Weaver	Hampton Roads Adaptation Forum	Norfolk, VA	On October 13, Chris Weaver will be giving a presentation entitled, "New Federal Sea Level Rise Scenarios for the U.S. Coastline," at the Hampton Roads Sea Level Rise/Flooding Adaptation Forum. The presentation will describe the new set of global and regional sea level rise scenarios developed by the USGCRP and the Subcommittee on Ocean Science and Technology (SOST) Interagency Sea Level Rise Task Force to the coastal scientists and engineers participating in the forum.
	13- Oct	Tom Luben	BenMAP-CE tool Seminar/Webi nar	Research Triangle Park, NC	On Friday, October 13, 2017, OAR/OAQPS is hosting a visit to the RTP campus by Juan Jose Castillo of the Clean Air Institute (CAI) who will deliver a seminar/webinar about using the BenMAP-CE tool to develop risk-based air quality management plans for several cities in Colombia. Juan Jose was a

					student in EPA's BenMAP-CE workshop in Lima, Peru earlier this year. Tom Luben (ORD/NCEA-RTP) was a facilitator in the BenMAP-CE training in Peru, and has continued providing technical support to Juan Jose and CAI in their use of the BenMAP-CE tool. CAI is a nonprofit organization created to improve air quality and combat climate change, and serves as a bridge between nations and cities that are looking for solutions, through benefactors, governmental agencies and consulting providers of the private sector. This support falls under HHRA Topic 2, Task 3.2 (2.212).
16- Oct	16- Oct	Jordan West and David Gibbs	Adaptation Design Tool Online Course	EPA	Adaptation Design Tool Online Course: On October 16, Jordan West and David Gibbs (ORISE) will participate in a webinar to launch an online course for the Adaptation Design Tool (CIVA 2.9 product). This interactive web-based course, which can be taken as a free, instructor-led training from October 16-November 17 and thereafter as an independent-study course, is hosted on The Nature Conservancy's Reef Resilience site and is being widely disseminated for use by all natural resource managers.
	19- Oct	Jen Richmond- Bryant, Tom Long, Mike Stewart, Erin Hines, Tom Luben, Laura Carlson, and Jeanette Reyes	International Society of Exposure Science 27th Annual Conference	Research Triangle Park, NC	Jen Richmond-Bryant, Tom Long, Mike Stewart, Erin Hines, Tom Luben, Laura Carlson, and Jeanette Reyes (ORISE) will attend the International Society of Exposure Science 27th Annual Conference in Research Triangle Park, NC on October 16-19, 2017. Jen Richmond-Bryant and Tom Long will present a platform presentation, "Implications of Exposure Measurement Error for Interpreting Epidemiological Results of Studies of Exposure to PM, NO2, or SO2", and Jeanette Reyes will present a platform presentation, "Trends in Cumulative Exposures of Six Phthalates in the United States from 2005 to 2014". This work falls under HHRA Topic 2, Task 3.3 (2.213).

16- Oct	19- Oct	Annie Jarabek	Monticello Conference	Charlottesvil le, VA	Annie Jarabek will provide an invited presentation and participate at the Monticello Conference in Charlottesville, VA on October 16 – 20, 2017. The purpose of the conference is to discuss the state of scientific knowledge about non-asbestos elongated mineral particles (EMP), across a range of disciplinary topics including: EMP definitions, analytical techniques and measurement, respiratory biology, experimental and epidemiological evidence, in vitro assays, and knowledge gaps and future research. Annie' talk is entitled "What a Difference the Dose Makes: Dosimetry Approaches to Aid Experimental Design, Inform Inferences, and Support Evidence Integration for Risk Assessment Applications" which will emphasize the need for alignment of exposure and internal dose to translate results of various experimental systems.
	18- Oct	Kris Thayer, Michele Taylor, Shane Thacker, and Ryan Jones	International Collaboration for the Automation of Systematic Reviews (ICASR) meeting	London, UK	Kris Thayer, Michele Taylor, Shane Thacker, and Ryan Jones will attend the 3rd Annual International Collaboration for the Automation of Systematic Reviews (ICASR) meeting in London, UK.
23- Oct	25- Oct	Jeff Gift and Allen Davis	Peer Review of Draft NTP Approach to Genomic Dose- Response Modeling Expert Panel Meeting	Research Triangle Park, NC	Jeff Gift and Allen Davis will be presenting at the upcoming "Peer Review of Draft NTP Approach to Genomic Dose-Response Modeling Expert Panel Meeting" to be held October 23-25, 2017 at the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS) facility in Research Triangle Park, NC. The purpose of this public meeting is to provide NTP with scientific input on its proposed approach for "using BMDExpress software to perform gene and pathway-level genomic dose-response modeling as part of Tox21 Phase 3 and in vivo screening level studies." Jeff's and Allen's presentation will be given by Jeff during "Session 3: Fitting Features to Dose-Response Models" and will cover traditional approaches for "Interpreting the results of EPA dose-response models." This work falls under HHRA Topic 4, Task 9.2

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23-00	26- Oct	Kris Thayer	Joint EFSA/EBTC Scientific Colloquium on Evidence Integration in Risk Assessment: The Science of Combining Apples and Oranges	Lisbon, Portugal	Kris Thayer will present at the "Joint EFSA/EBTC Scientific Colloquium on Evidence Integration in Risk Assessment: The Science of Combining Apples and Oranges" in Lisbon, Portugal.  Joint EFSA/EBTC Scientific Colloquium on Evidence Integration in Risk Assessment: The Science of Combining Apples and Oranges
30- Oct	30- Oct	Meredith Lassiter	University of Maryland Presentation	College Park, MD	Meredith Lassiter will be presenting "Principles of Ecological Risk Assessment" on October 30, 2017 and participating in a review session at the end of the semester for the University of Maryland graduate level course on Risk Assessment, led by Abdel Kadry. This lecture will include contrasting human and ecological risk assessment, steps of the ecological risk assessment process, and case studies. The format will be a webinar with opportunities for student questions and interaction.